## Cuisinart



Die Cast Can Opener

Instruction Booklet

**DCO-24** 

### IMPORTANT SAFEGUARDS

When using electrical appliances, basic safety precautions should always be followed including the following:

#### 1. READ ALL INSTRUCTIONS.

- To protect against risk of electrical shock, do not immerse cord, plug or can opener in water or other liquid.
- 3. Close supervision is necessary when any appliance is used by or near children.
- Unplug from outlet when not in use, before putting on or taking off parts, and before cleaning.
- 5. Avoid contacting moving parts.
- Do not operate any appliance with a damaged cord or plug, or after the appliance malfunctions, or is dropped or damaged in any manner.
  Return appliance to the nearest authorized Cuisinart service facility for examination, repair or mechanical/electrical adjustment.
- The use of attachments not recommended or sold by Cuisinart may cause fire, electrical shock, or risk of injury.
- 8. Do not use outdoors.
- Do not let cord hang over edge of table or counter, or touch hot surfaces.
- 10. Do not open pressured (aerosol type) cans.
- 11. Do not open cans of flammable liquids such as lighter fluid.
- 12. Do not use can opener for other than intended use.
- 13. Do not leave unattended while in use.
- This appliance is intended for household use only and not for commercial or industrial use.
- 15. Caution: Do not immerse in water.

# FOR HOUSEHOLD ONLY SAVE THESE INSTRUCTIONS

#### **NOTICE**

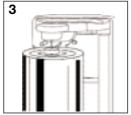
This appliance has a polarized plug (one blade is wider than the other). As a safety feature, this plug will fit in a polarized outlet only one way. If the plug does not fit fully in the outlet, reverse the plug. If it still does not fit, contact a qualified electrician. Do not attempt to defeat this safety feature.

#### **OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS**

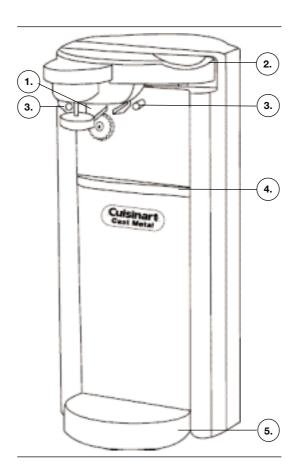
- 1. Plug cord into outlet.
- 2. Raise can opener lever.
- 3. Position the can under the guiding posts and lower the lever, making sure the Power Pierce blade is positioned inside the rim of the can.
- Once the Power Pierce blade pierces the can, cutting begins. There is no need to hold the lever down during cutting.
- Cutting action will automatically stop, once can is completely open.
- 6. Can will remain in position until lever is lifted.
- 7. To remove can, hold can firmly with one hand while lifting lever with the other.
- 8. Carefully remove lid from magnet.







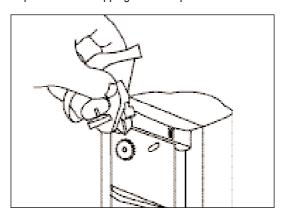




- 1. Power Pierce Blade Assembly
- 2. Can Opener Lever
- 3. Guiding Posts
- 4. Can Stop
- 5. Base

#### **CLEANING INSTRUCTIONS**

- 1. Be sure the plug has been removed from outlet.
- Remove can opener lever by lifting and pulling toward you. Wash by hand with hot, sudsy water. Dry thoroughly.
- 3. Wipe body of can opener with damp cloth. (Caution: Do not immerse in water.)
- 4. Replace can opener lever by holding in the upright position and snapping back into place.



#### **SUGGESTIONS**

This can opener will open all standard size cans. It should not be used on cans that have alternate methods of opening (including but not limited to pull-tabs, rolling key and peel-off foil). It also should not be used with rimless cans or cans with angled corners.

Cans with aluminum lids will not adhere to magnet.

If there is a dent in the rim of the can, open other side or place the Power Pierce blade beyond the dent. If the can opener stalls, use a light touch to turn the can to aid the cutting process.

#### **WARRANTY:**

The Cuisinart® Die Cast Can Opener carries a 3 year Limited Warranty.

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